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FOR: METHOD FOR PRODUCING :  
SUBSTITUTED ARYLCARBOXYLIC  
ACID CHLORIDES

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 5, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected beginning on page 2 of this paper

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Support for the Amendment** begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Request for Reconsideration** begins on page 6 of this paper.